

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)
	09/943,286	NUNOMURA, KIYOTADA
	Examiner	Art Unit
	Teresa E Strzelecka	1637

All Participants:

(1) Teresa E Strzelecka.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(2) Michael J. Gilly.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 25 January 2005

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

105

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

Teresa Strzelecka

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)



Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The newly amended claim 105 was no longer anticipated or suggested by prior art, but the limitation of reducing the production of analyte amplicon in the presence of a pseudo target by 44% relative to the reaction in which there was no pseudo target constituted a new matter. Mr. Gilly was contacted with a suggestion that incorporating a limitation of reduction of the coefficient of variability of the analyte amplicon in the presence of a pseudo target would make the claims allowable without introduction of a new matter. A proposed change in claim language was discussed, to be presented to Examiner Fredman for approval..